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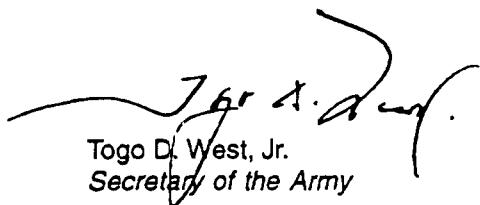
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1. Developing JTCG/ME Publications.

Department of the Defense (DoD) Components (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and DIA) collaborate to develop and publish JTCG/ME documents. The Joint Chiefs of Staff (JCS) and DoD Components use these documents to plan and analyze attack missions, develop weapon requirements, and conduct wargaming exercises. The JTCG/ME operates according to the Joint Logistics Commanders (JLC) decisions and directions. JTCG/ME publishes all materiel according to the JTCG/ME Publication Information Guide, 61JTCG/ME 1-3.

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2.1. JTCG Steering Committee. The Army Materiel Command, Naval Ordnance Center, Air Force Materiel Command, Defense Intelligence Agency, and Marine Corps appoint staff-level representatives to the JTCG/ME Steering Committee as Principal Service Members. The Steering Committee:

- (2.1.1) Directs Working Group studies, tests, meetings, other required activities, and funding.
- (2.1.2) Establishes working groups to meet the needs of the tri-service operational commands and other users of nonnuclear munitions data.
- (2.1.3) Coordinates technical data among Services, approves data for use in JTCG/ME publications and establishes priorities.
- (2.1.4) Provides technical guidance to subgroups and approves publication of data generated by the subgroups.
- (2.1.5) Prepares budgets and distributes funding for publishing all JTCG/ME publications.
- (2.1.6) Develops, reviews, and coordinates the technical content of JTCG/ME publications, including changes and revisions.
- (2.1.7) Establishes procedures for controlling the distribution of publications to agencies including non-DoD activities.
- (2.1.8) Maintains security classification guidelines for publications.

2.2. Principal Services Members:

- (2.2.1) Respond to requests for publication information.
- (2.2.2) Coordinate JTCG/ME publication matters within their own Services and agencies to ensure they approve technical content and promptly authenticate JMems.
- (2.2.3) Develop initial distribution lists for new JMems and an updated list for each JMEm change or revision.

2.3. Air Force:

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Appendix A ADDRESSES FOR DOD COMPONENTS

A.1. Air Force.

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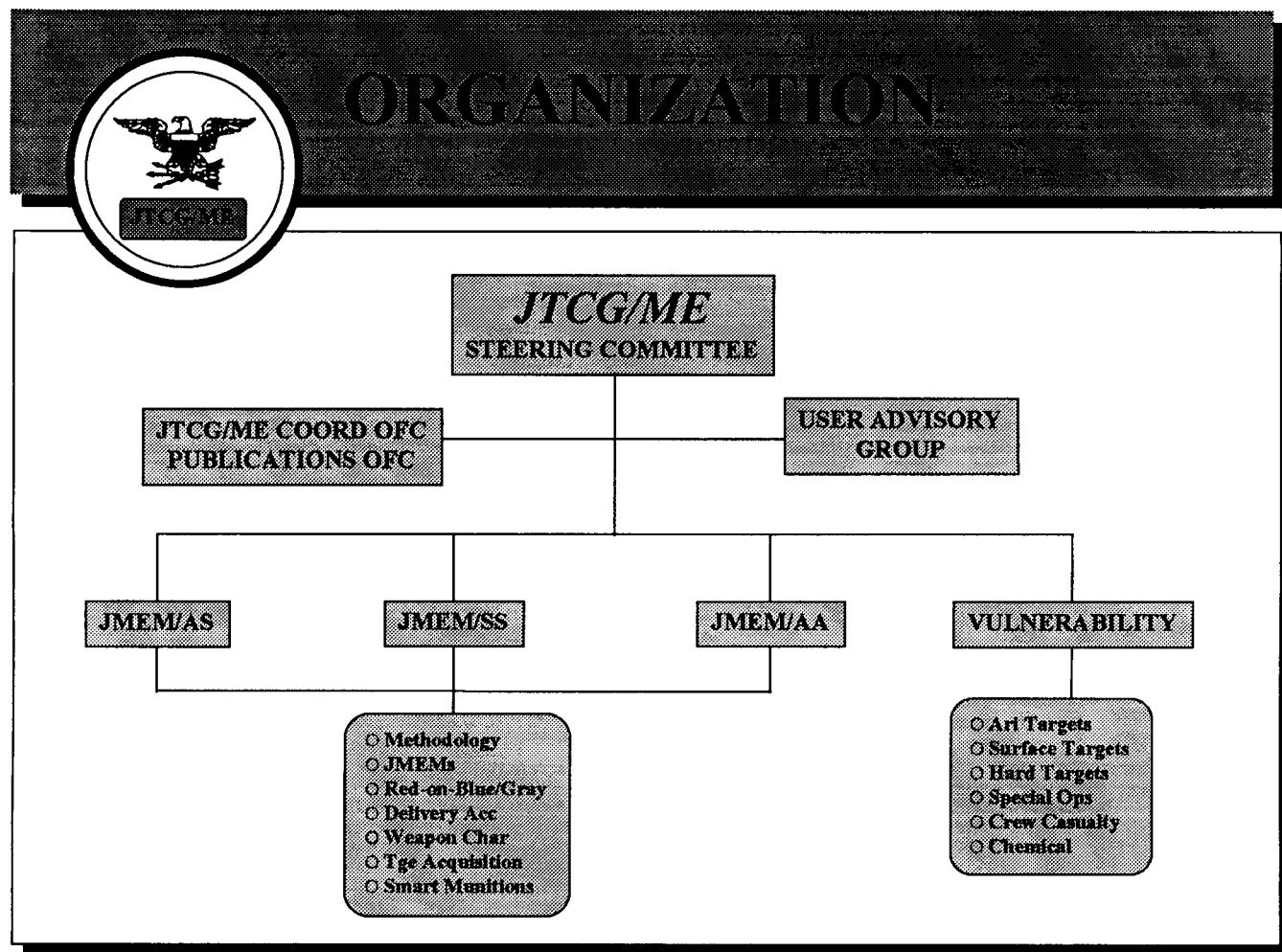


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